## EXHIBIT 1



## **U.S. Department of Justice**

**Antitrust Division** 

Liberty Square Building 4505th Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20001

March 15, 2023

## BY EMAIL

Agri Stats, Inc.

C/O Justin Bernick Hogan Lovells US LLP Columbia Square 555 Thirteenth Street, NW Washington, D.C. 20004

Re: Civil Investigative Demand No. 31426 Served Upon Stephen Holt Individually

and as a Class Representative Regarding Certain Products of Discovery in In re

Broiler Chicken Antitrust Litigation (N.D. Ill)

## Dear Justin:

Attached to this letter is Civil Investigative Demand ("CID") No. 31426, which was served on February 10, 2023 on Stephen Holt through his counsel. The CID demands that Stephen Holt produce to us certain products of discovery after identifying any persons or entities that have produced information or material that is cited, referenced, attached to, or otherwise incorporated into one of the specific products of discovery. Stephen Holt has identified that your client produced information or material that is cited, referenced, attached to, or otherwise incorporated into one of the specified products of discovery.

Please be advised that, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1312(c)(2), this CID supersedes any inconsistent order, rule, or provision of law (other than in title 15, Chapter 34, United States Code) preventing or restraining disclosure of these products of discovery to any person, including any protective order that may heretofore have been entered in the litigation in which Stephen Holt obtained these products of discovery.

This letter does not require any action on your part. Pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1314(c), however, your client has the right to petition the district court of the United States for the judicial district in which the proceeding in which the discovery was obtained is or was last pending for an order modifying or setting aside the CID. Such a petition must be filed prior to Stephen Holt's compliance with the CID. Pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1312(b), Stephen Holt is not permitted to comply with the CID until 20 days after service of this notice upon you, but may comply at any time thereafter. The CID requires Stephen Holt's compliance not later than April 7, 2023.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 202-262-3929 or William.Friedman2@usdoj.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/

Will Friedman Trial Attorney Civil Conduct Task Force

Enclosure[s]